

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Lee, Cheol-Woong et al. Confirmation No.: 3473  
 Application No.: 09/977,896 Group No.: 2137  
 Filed: October 15, 2001 Examiner: Popham, Jeffrey D.  
 For: METHOD OF PREVENTING REDUCTION OF SALES AMOUNT  
 OF RECORDS DUE TO A DIGITAL MUSIC FILE ILLEGALLY  
 DISTRIBUTED THROUGH COMMUNICATION NETWORK

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Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 1 month to respond to the Office Action dated August 28, 2006.
  2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.
  3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):
- | Total Months<br>Requested                     | Fee For Other<br>Than Small Entity | Fee for<br>Small Entity |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month | \$120.00                           | \$60.00                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> two months           | \$450.00                           | \$225.00                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months         | \$1,020.00                         | \$510.00                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months          | \$1,590.00                         | \$795.00                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> five months*         | \$2,160.00                         | \$1,080.00              |

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$     is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.
- ☒ All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,



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